

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 6, please amend the paragraph beginning at line 1 as follows:

--Referring to Fig. 7a, the flexible cover 40 described in relation to Fig. 3, has layered fabric (or leather) portions 70 and 72 attached to it to form the sports shoe type cover 40' (see Fig. 3). The flexible cover 40 acts as a substrate for the fabric (or leather) portions. A rear fabric (or leather) portion 72 is attached to the rear of the flexible cover 40. In this embodiment it has limbs 72a which extend around the sides of the flexible cover 40. One of these limbs 72a extends over the microphone aperture 54 of the flexible cover 40. It has an aperture 74 which is aligned with the microphone aperture 54 when the rear fabric (or leather) portion 72 is attached to the flexible cover 40. As seen in Fig. 7b, two ~~[[Two]]~~ side fabric (or leather) portions 70 are attached to the sides of the flexible cover 40. These side portions 70 may overlap the rear portion 72 as shown generally by reference numeral 76 in Fig. 7b. In this example, one of the side portions 70 has a display window 71 attached to it which is positioned over the display aperture 42 in the flexible cover 40. The portions 70, 72 may have designs and/or stitching 75 applied to them, before they are attached to the flexible cover 40 to change their aesthetic appearance. The fabric or leather portions 70, 72 may be attached to the elastomeric flexible cover 40 by stitching or adhesive. The assembled ~~shoe-like~~ shoe-like flexible cover 40' is illustrated in Fig. 7b. The portions 70, 72 that have been added to the flexible elastomeric cover 40 including the side portions 70 and rear portion 72 and display 71 are indicated using hatching in the figure. In this example, portions 78 of the underlying flexible cover 40 are exposed in gaps between the attached fabric portions 70, 72.--